

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
NORTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
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v.) CR. NO. 2:20-cr-00138-WKW
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JESSE LEMAR MCCORMICK)

MOTION TO DECREASE DEFENDANT'S OFFENSE LEVEL
PURSUANT TO UNITED STATES SENTENCING GUIDELINE § 3E1.1(b)
FOR ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSIBILITY

Comes now the United States of America, by and through Sandra J. Stewart, Acting United States Attorney for the Middle District of Alabama, and files this motion to reduce the defendant's offense level by one level pursuant to § 3E1.1(b) of the Sentencing Guidelines. *See U.S.S.G. § 3E1.1(b).*

The government files this motion because the defendant assisted authorities in the investigation and prosecution of his own misconduct by timely notifying authorities of his intention to enter a plea of guilty, thereby permitting the government to avoid preparing for trial and allowing the government and this Court to efficiently allocate their resources.

Accordingly, pursuant to U.S.S.G. § 3E1.1(b), a one-level reduction in the defendant's offense level is appropriate. Combined with the two-level reduction applied to the defendant's offense level pursuant to § 3E1.1(a), a total reduction of three levels should be applied to the defendant's offense level for his acceptance of responsibility.

Respectfully submitted this 26th day of October, 2021.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on October 26, 2021, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all attorneys of record.

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